

PHYSICIANS OF 13TH DISTRICT HOLD MEETING

CITY HALL CROWDED WITH
DOCTORS—INTERESTING
PAPERS PRESENTED
AND DISCUSSED.

AT SOUTH BEND NEXT TIME

Splendid Banquet Served, Good
Speeches Made—Instrumental
and Vocal Music and Social
Hour Ends Meeting.

The Thirteenth District Medical meeting was held at the City Hall in Plymouth, on Wednesday, April 24, 1912, and was not behind the meetings of other years. Last year the meeting was held at Lake Wawasee, and the attendance was counted as extra large, the attraction of the resort being a drawing card. However, the meeting this year was equal to that of last, there being seventy-seven names on the register, exactly the same number as at the meeting a year ago.

Promptly at 1:45, President Dr. S. C. Loring called the meeting to order, and a paper was presented by Dr. R. Clarence Stephens of Plymouth on the subject of "Pneumonia. Only a physician could fully appreciate the discussion of this subject, as can be said of all the purely medical subjects presented at this meeting. To attempt to give even an outline of them would be impossible. Enough to say that Dr. Stephens gave a paper that was approved by the men who are practicing physicians of this district, and was greeted with applause. In the discussion that followed many facts were brought out and the deep study of others, made the presentation of this subject profitable to every physician in attendance.

Dr. C. A. Daugherty of South Bend, read a paper on "Fractures of the Patella." To save looking into the dictionary, we state that this means what is commonly known as the kneecap, and the paper presented gave evidence of a wide experience and thorough knowledge of the treatment of this most common injury to the human organism. There was a spirited discussion following, and while there was some difference of opinion in minor details, use of kinds of threads to sew wounds, etc. the general treatment was in accord with the paper read.

The hour assigned to the subject of Constipation was shortened, as others questions were deemed of more consequence, and Dr. I. J. Becknell of Goshen presented the subject of "Modern Obstetrics." The doctor has had a long and successful practice in this branch of the profession, and was well able to give the question in all its details, with all the most advanced methods of treatment, including the surgical aspect of the subject in extreme cases. Dr. C. C. Terry of South Bend added his experience to this discussion, giving much of the latest thought of scientific medicine and surgery applicable to the question.

The President stated that it was a rule of the society to have the subjects that were discussed at these meetings, handled by men inside the district, but that the program committee had deemed it wise to call on Dr. W. F. Howat of Hammond, who is President of the Indiana State Medical Association, to present his paper on "The Medical Society, Its Duties and Privileges." This was a splendid paper presenting the subject in its professional, social, fraternal and civic phases, and was a lecture well worth the coming of every doctor there, even had there been nothing else said. Dr. Howat was compelled to leave on a convenient train for Chicago, where he is to read the same paper before a medical association meeting at Evanston Friday, and the paper has been approved by the editors of a prominent medical journal, and will be printed entire for the benefit of a wider circle than can be gathered in many meetings such as this. It was scholarly, well written, and presented in a manner that won for its author merited praise from his fellows.

There are two meetings of this society each year, and at the fall meeting comes the election of officers. However, at the meeting of the State Association, what is called a Councilor for each district has been selected, who holds for three years, and for some nine years, Dr. C. A. Daugherty of

South Bend, has filled that position. At the last meeting of the State society, it was recommended that this office be chosen at the district meeting, and in accord with that request, the matter was brought up at this meeting. Dr. Daugherty asked that in view of the fact that he had served so long, that some other one be chosen for the position, and that his name be not considered, and a vote of thanks for his splendid service in the past was given him. The very democratic plan of choosing a successor was adopted by the meeting, and slips of paper were passed and with no nominations being made, each member wrote his choice, it being agreed that after the first vote, the lowest name should be dropped, and so on until some one had received a majority of all the votes. When the tellers were through counting the ballots after the first vote, it was found that nine names had been used, but Dr. A. C. McDonald of Warsaw had a clear majority, and was declared elected, and responded to the call, acknowledging the honor conferred on him.

To the Banquet Hall.

The business being ended, all who were not compelled to return to their homes, repaired to the St. Thomas Parish House where the banquet was ready. Fifty-nine were seated at two long tables, brilliantly lighted with candlesticks, and a most excellent supper was served by the ladies of the Episcopal church. The banquet was served in courses, and included bouillon and crackers, baked white fish served on lettuce, with a relish. Pickles, jelly, jello with fruit, were in dishes along the tables. Then came roast chicken, mashed creamed potatoes, dressing and gravy, pea patties, fruit salad and wafers, coffee and Parker house rolls. This was followed with cherry pie a la mode.

During the serving of the dinner, the Apollo Orchestra gave several selections, and were applauded time and again by the audience. After the banquet, the President announced a solo to be given by Miss Julia Yockey, and after singing "When the Heart Is Young," the enthusiastic doctors would not let her go until she responded and sang "The Favorite Flower—the Tulip."

Dr. S. W. Baer of South Bend responded to the theme "Fraternalism in the Medical Profession," setting forth the fact that in days gone by one physician thought of his brother physician only as a quack and crank, thinking himself the only person capable of practicing medicine. Now by the formation of associations similar to this, and a closer union of thought and action this prejudice was being driven away. To foster the fraternal spirit, study to know each other better. Stand close together, and defend each the other, and the common profession. During his speech Dr. Baer took occasion to pay glowing tribute to the ladies who had prepared and served the splendid banquet given them.

Being again called for, Miss Yockey came forward and sang "Parted," with piano and violin accompaniment, and was again loudly applauded.

The exercises being at an end, the orchestra played a parting number, and the Thirteenth District Medical Meeting was at an end. In the number attending it was equal to the largest meeting ever held. In interest given to the subjects discussed it could not have been better. It shows that the physicians who compose its membership are wide awake, live men, up to the highest standard in their profession, and fully alive to their responsibilities to humanity. Much credit is due to the local committee for the success of the meeting, Dr. C. F. Holtzendorf as Chairman, assisted by Drs. Preston and Eidson, being untiring in their efforts to make their guests feel at home, and welcome to Plymouth. Lemonade was supplied to all at the afternoon session, and every courtesy was shown by the Committee.

The fall meeting will be held probably in October, the date not being exactly given, but South Bend was selected as the place.

Following is the complete list of those who were on the register as being in attendance.

C. J. Loring, A. Brown, H. W. Taylor, F. P. Bitters and wife, J. N. Rannels, Rochester; B. F. Kuhn, C. W. Hayward, Jas. A. Work Sr., F. N. Dewey, C. B. Bassler, J. C. Fleming, C. F. Fleming, Geo. W. Spohn, E. M. Hoover, J. C. Work, Jr. Elkhart; C. F. Mitchell, Thomas A. Olney, J. W. Hill, J. B. Bertel, E. J. Lent, S. A. Clark, S. A. Owen and wife, W. L. Owen, C. A. Daugherty, H. T. Montgomery, Hugh M. Miller, Chas. Stoltz, W. A. Hager, Edgar M. Myers, C. C. Terrey, R. B. Dugdale, W. S. Hillman, E. P. Eastman, S. W. Baer, South Bend; W. C. Sarber, J. N. Kendall, H. M. McCracken, Argos; L. P. VanRie, H. J. Graham, Mishawaka; W. A. Price, M. D. Price, H. J. Defees, Nappanee; A. C. McDonald, C. N. Howard, G. W. Anglin, C. C. DuBois, Warsaw; F. J. Young, Milford; John J. Hardy, Lapaz; C. E. Leedy, C. N. Long, Piercet; I. J. Becknell, Goshen; E. E. Parker, Culver; B. VanSweringen, Ft. Wayne; W. F. Howat, Hammond; M. G. Yocum, Mentone; E. L. Stuckman, James Matthews, New Paris; John S. Sprague, C. M. Fish, A.

Moore, North Liberty; A. A. Thompson, Tyner, G. W. Thompson, Winamac; J. R. Abner, Hamlet; H. L. Bell, Knox; William Kelsey, Monterey; J. H. Bowser, Syracuse; C. L. Slonaker, Leiters Ford; H. P. Preston, C. F. Holtzendorf, S. C. Loring, D. W. Eidson, R. C. Stephens, D. C. Knott, L. D. Eley, C. A. Brown, Plymouth.

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Oration On Woman Suffrage.

Miss Merle Bosworth, in her oration on "Woman Suffrage" at the preliminary contest Friday evening, said in part that:

"There is no more reason why a woman should be compelled to devote and mortgage all her life to her housekeeping than there is that a man should devote his entire time to the business of housebuilding, houserepairing, gardening and paying the rent, tho' the latter occupation will always seem to absorb a respectable share of his activities. In other words it is no longer necessary that because a woman becomes a housekeeper and mother, she must on that account give up all hope and ambition of being anything else."

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"Woman is the mothering element in the world and her vote will go toward helping forward the time when Life's bread which is home, shelter, and security and the Roses of Life, music, education, nature and books, shall be heritage of every child that is born in the country in the government of which she has a voice."

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Hinder Work of Committee by Show
of Resentment and Ill-Feeling—
May Produce Some International
Trouble.

Washington, April 25.—It was definitely established by testimony given before the senate special investigating committee that Captain Smith and several officers of the Titanic were expecting to encounter ice on their course about 11 o'clock on the fatal Sunday night.

This fact was brought out in the testimony of Second Officer Lightoller, who, when recalled to the stand, said that he had been shown a message by the captain, which gave the latitude and longitude of ice reported to the Titanic by another ship. He told the committee he worked out by means of the chart the time at which the Titanic would probably be nearest this ice, and found it was to be expected about 11 o'clock. He so informed the captain and Officer Murdoch, who relieved him at 10. Despite this, however, he admitted, the speed of the vessel was not lessened and the only precaution he took, he said, was to tell the lookout men to keep a sharp watch for small ice until daybreak.

This was the most important single development of a stormy day before the investigating committee, as far as the main purpose of the inquiry was concerned. Both morning and afternoon sessions were marked by a show of feeling upon the part of the English sailors, testifying, and the committee. The witnesses made little effort to conceal considerable resentment at the questions of the committee, many of which they appeared to think utterly purposeless and beside the mark. Senator Smith received many sharp answers from the Englishmen, and the prediction was made that, unless conditions improved, there was danger of serious ill feeling being engendered between the people of the two countries. Members of the group of White Star officials and counsel declared the senators would meet with more success in their inquiry if they secured expert assistance in examining the Titanic's officers.

During the afternoon J. Bruce Ismay, accompanied by White Star officials and officers of the Titanic, visited the British embassy, and it was persistently reported that they had entered protest against their treatment at the hands of the committee. This report was denied by the persons concerned, both at the embassy and by Mr. Ismay. At the end of the day, a request was made that the sailors who had testified be permitted to return home, but Senator Smith refused to grant such permission, acting upon the advice received through the representative of a Toronto paper who had enlisted the Canadian government in investigating the report that the Canadian steamer Mount Temple was within sight of the Titanic when she sank. The captain of the Mount Temple denied this in a telegram to the senate committee.

Officer Lowe of the Titanic startled all his hearers by declaring before the committee that he had waited in his lifeboat until "the drowning people had thinned out" before going back to pick up any survivors. He explained that it would have been suicide for all in his boat to have gone back while 1,600 people were struggling for their lives in the waters about the Titanic; that they would have swamped his lifeboat. He also told of rescues he made, and cleared up the stories about the use of revolvers by the Titanic officers.

OLYMPIC CREW ON STRIKE

Refuse to Sail on Liner, Complaining
of Life Saving Facilities.

Southampton, England, April 25.—Complaining of the life saving facilities on board the liner Olympic, 300 stokers struck just before the vessel's sailing time. The firemen who quit the Olympic state that one of their number pushed his thumb through the canvas of one of the collapsible boats and therefore they decided not to take any risk. The liner moved down the river and anchored.

The striking firemen, notwithstanding the fact that they are liable to arrest for mutiny, are unyielding and supported by the officials of the union. After they landed there was pandemonium on the quay. Many of the men seemed to be intoxicated.

RHODE ISLAND FOR TAFT

Convention Chairman Vigorously
Scores Theodore Roosevelt.

Providence, R. I., April 25.—Ten delegates pledged to vote for William H. Taft until released were elected to the Chicago convention by the Republicans of Rhode Island in convention assembled.

Colonel Roosevelt was vigorously scored by Congressman Utter, chairman of the convention.

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In the matter of the estate of
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In the Marshall Circuit Court,
April Term, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as Executor of the estate of Mary E. Thayer deceased, has presented and filed final account and vouchers in final settlement of said estate, and that the same will come up for the examination and action of said Circuit Court on the 11th day of May, 1912, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear in said Court and show cause, if any there be, why said account and vouchers should not be approved. And the heirs of said estate, and all others interested therein, are also hereby required, at the time and place aforesaid, to appear and make proof of their heirship or claim to any part of said estate.

Done April 8th, 1912.

George H. Thayer, Jr.

WITNESS, the Clerk and Seal of
said Marshall Circuit Court at
Plymouth, Indiana, this 8th day of
April, 1912

Ed. S. Kitch, Clerk.
S. N. Stevens, Atty. w:18-25-52

No. 2203.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

State of Indiana, Marshall county, ss:
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the estate of Catherine Olinger late of Marshall County, Indiana, deceased. Said estate is supposed to be solvent. Marshall County Trust & Savings Co. Administrator.
H. A. Logan, Atty. w:25-2-9

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